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ON A BRIDGE.

Two Freight Trains Collide on the St. Paul and Sioux City Division.

FOUR RAILROAD MEN WERE KILLED.

The Bridge Went Down, Carrying Three Engines and Part of Both Trains With It.

The debris in the river caught fire, owing to low water, and heavy damage resulted. The four men that were killed were:

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 22.—Two freight trains on the St. Paul & Sioux City division of the St. Paul & Omaha road collided early Thursday morning near Windom, Minn. The officials at this point know nothing about the accident further than that the trains met on a bridge and three people were killed. Other reports make the number of killed four as follows:

Engineer Hansson.
Fireman Roberts, who died at 6 a. m.
Fireman Stratton.
John Roberts, a traveling man from St. James, Minn.

The injured, none fatally:
George Tew, engineer.
John Yonama, fireman.
Thomas Merrill, freight.

The Omaha special freight standing on the bridge over the Des Moines river near Windom at about 11:30 p. m. Wednesday night under what was supposed to be a misapprehension of orders, was crashed into by another freight train drawn by two engines and composed of 22 heavily loaded cars. The bridge went down, carrying the engines and part of both trains and all the water in the river was but four feet deep. The collision killed four men and resulted in the death of four men.

Engineer Hansson, Fireman Roberts and Stratton went down with their respective engines and were crushed and burned to death. John Roberts, a traveling man from St. James, who was in the caboose of the train on the bridge, met a like fate. While Engineer Tew, Fireman Yonama and Merrill were more or less injured, the latter suffering a broken leg.

Conductor Williams, of the train which was struck, fled after the accident after telling about the crash to its cause. He was in the caboose with Roberts, the traveling man, when the crash came.

AT THE CROSSING.

A Passenger Train Crossed Into a Vehicle—Four of the Five Occupants Were Instantly Killed.

ALBANY, Ia., Sept. 22.—While Jasper Leebe, his son, daughter and two grandchildren were driving across the C. R. & Q. railroad tracks, four miles east of Albany Thursday, passenger train No. 16, en route to Des Moines, struck the car, killing all five.

The following are dead:
Jasper Leebe, aged 57; Mrs. Edith Johnson, a daughter aged 7; Gertrude Leebe, a son aged 7 years; Gertrude Johnson, a grandchild aged 2 years is fatally injured.

Engraving Companies Had Cited.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The Cook county grand jury Thursday voted indictments against 15 engraving firms which are alleged to have conspired to combine to control the engraving business in the west. The specific charge against them is conspiracy to defraud.

Grand Decoration of Chivalry.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 22.—Before 2,000 people in light guard jury Thursday afternoon Maj. Gen. J. R. Elliott, of Chicago, conferred the grand decoration of chivalry, the highest step in old fellowship, upon nine candidates.

Double Murder and Suicide.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 22.—O. R. Hyland killed his wife and his brother Grant and then committed suicide Thursday morning. His wife had deserted him and was living with Grant.

Re Adm. Menorjo Commanded.

MADRID, Sept. 22.—Dr. Adm. Montefiore, who commanded the Spanish naval forces in the battle of Manila Bay and who has been on trial before the supreme court, has been condemned without the right of promotion.

A Train Inspection Service.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The marine hospital service has been notified that owing to the fever situation in New Orleans a train inspection service is to be instituted on all roads out of the city.

Adm. George Dewey's Cousin.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Col. W. J. Dewey, of Idaho, a cousin of Adm. Dewey, arrived in Chicago Thursday. Col. Dewey is on his way to New York to attend the celebration in honor of the naval hero.

Price of Beef Advanced.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Porterhouse, sirloin and tenderloin steaks here went up two cents a pound in price in Chicago Thursday and rounds and other cuts advanced from one to two cents.

New Orleans, Sept. 22.—The board of health reports three new cases of yellow fever and two deaths Thursday.

AWAITING ROERS

Dilatation of the British Government in Sending Troops Causes Murmuring.

THE MILITARY MEN ARE IMPATIENT.

They Assert That Everything is Ready and They Are Only Waiting for the Word to Go Ahead.

President Steyn, of the Orange Free State, has been accused of dilating in sending troops to the Transvaal.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Orange Free State, Sept. 22.—The volksraad met Thursday with a full attendance. President Steyn read a carefully prepared speech. After welcoming the burghers, he expressed regret that the relations between Great Britain and the Orange Free State had become strained. The members, he said, were aware of the meeting of Sir Alfred Milner and President Kruger at Bloemfontein, when President Kruger made proposals which, although refused by the British high commissioner, were unanimously considered throughout the Orange Free State to be exceedingly fair.

President Steyn said the Transvaal had been deceived by the British diplomatic agent at Pretoria, Conyngham Greene, and he practically accused the imperial government of a breach of faith. He said he was disinclined to advise the Transvaal government to accept the latest British demand. The present state of affairs could not be a matter of indifference to the Orange Free State which was bound by treaty to afford assistance to the Transvaal and he had therefore decided to decide what attitude should be taken.

"There is nothing," declared the president, "that warrants war or an attack upon the Transvaal. Such an attitude as exist can be solved by arbitration. War would be an insult to religion and civilization."

In conclusion President Steyn said he would take this opportunity of laying down the draft law before the volksraad for consideration, praying God to give members strength to pass resolute ones not only conducive to peace and prosperity but also in the interest of the state.

Immediately after the speech President Steyn asked the volksraad to go into secret session, which was agreed to unanimously.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—While the precise result of the secret session of the volksraad of the Orange Free State is not yet known here, President Steyn's speech at the opening of the session is regarded as an almost final declaration of the attitude which the Free State will take. Commenting from this point of view the London morning papers are all impressed with the added gravity of the situation.

They assert that everything is ready, and they are only waiting for orders.

It is recognized that the attitude of the Orange Free State makes the original estimate of the cost of the war largely too small. Evidently a much larger force will be required. The government is faced with something like a dilemma. The leader of the opposition has publicly denominated the precipitancy of the colonial office in forcing on a conflict. Therefore, ministers are disinclined to involve parliament. If, on the other hand, the large expenditure as the apparent attitude of the Orange Free State would involve should become necessary, the government would be obliged to summon parliament in order to get adequate supplies. It is understood that the money question accounts for the dribbling manner in which the troops are being forwarded.

The Decision is Final.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—At Gen. Roo's Thursday it was said that the refusal of the Grand Army of the Republic organization to take part in the Dewey land parade was final. Gen. Roo is not disposed to recede an inch from his position. The ex-confederate veterans will not march either, being unable to prepare in time.

No Demonstration Occurred.

CARPENTERS' UNION, Sept. 22.—Although the arrival of Dewey at the home of Paul Valabourne, his brother-in-law, who has been established as a cloth merchant here for a number of years, was soon known, no demonstration occurred. Mrs. Dewey arrived here Thursday night.

Prof. Frank Mills Himself.

CORVINTON, Ga., Sept. 22.—William A. Franz, professor of English and literature in Oxford (Ga.) university, killed himself at his home here, using a pitchfork and a knife.

Historical Church Burned.

LIMA, Peru, Sept. 22.—A great fire Thursday evening almost completely destroyed the famous and beautiful church of San Francisco founded by Pizarro in 1535.

THE RESOLUTIONS

Anti-Trust Conference at St. Louis Finishes Its Work and Adjourns Sink Die.

SO-CALLED TRUSTS AND COMBINES.

Set of Resolutions Adopted by the Delegates Outlining the Legislation Needed to Control Them.

No Corporation Should Hold Any Stock in Another Corporation Engaged in a Similar or Competitive Business—State Legislation Urged.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 22.—After two days of speech making, the governors, attorneys general and other state representatives who have been holding a conference here on the invitation of Gov. Sayers, of Texas, adopted resolutions outlining the legislation needed to control the so-called trusts and combines and adjourned sine die.

Following are the resolutions:

"That we believe the best present available remedies lie along the following lines:

"1. The enactment and enforcement both by the several states and the nation of legislation that shall adequately and fully define as crimes any attempted monopolization or restraint of trade in any line of industrial activity, with provisions for adequate punishment, both of the individual or the corporation, that shall be found guilty thereof, punishment to the corporation to extend to its dissolution.

"2. The enactment of each of the states of the union of legislation for the adequate and proper control and regulation of corporations, both by that state, and we recommend as efficacious a system of reports to, and examination by, state authority of the corporations organized under its laws, to the end that they be brought to a fair observance of the laws under which they are re-constituted.

"3. The enactment by such state of laws that will prevent the entrance of any foreign-controlled corporation into its limits for any other purpose than interstate commerce, except on terms that will put the foreign-controlled corporation on a basis of equality with the domestic corporation of the state, and to this end we recommend legislation that would make it mandatory upon corporations seeking to engage in business outside the state of their creation that they procure licenses from the foreign state as a condition precedent to their entry into such state; such license to be granted on such terms as shall subject to such regulations as will place the corporation subject to the same control, inspection, supervision and regulation as the domestic corporation of that state and subject to be reviewed if the conditions thereof are relaxed.

"4. The enactment of state legislation declaring that a corporation created in one state to do business exclusively in other states, and where created shall be prohibited from admission into any state.

"5. This proposition is supported by decisions of the supreme court of the United States. We believe it should become legislative enactment, uniform throughout the states.

"6. That no corporation should be formed in whole or in part by any corporation in other states.

"7. That no corporation shall own or hold any stock in another corporation engaged in a similar or competitive business, and that no corporation shall own or hold any stock in another corporation engaged in a similar or competitive business, the object or result of which is to create a trust or monopoly.

"8. Recognizing that trusts are usually composed of corporations and that corporations are but creatures of the law and can only exist in the place of their creation, and can not migrate to another sovereignty without the consent of that sovereignty, and that this consent may be withheld when desired, we recommend as the sense of this conference that each state pass laws, providing for no corporation to be a member of any pool or trust in that state or elsewhere, can do business in that state.

"9. Resolved, That it is the sense of this conference that all the capital stock of private corporations should be fully paid either first in lawful money, or second, in property of the free cash value of the money of the capital stock, and that in all private corporations with a capital stock is used in excess of the amount actually paid up as above provided, the shareholders shall be liable to the extent of the true face value of the stock held by each."

Gold Certificates Issued.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The amount of gold certificates issued by the treasury department in exchange for gold coin to date is \$63,016,750. There is said to be a large and increasing demand in New York for "order" \$5,000 and \$10,000 gold certificates and from this and other reasons the treasury officials look for an important increase in the demand for certificates within the next few days.

DITCHED A TRAIN.

Incarcerated Then Fired on the Desolated Cars Killing Two and Wounding Five Americans.

MAYFIELD, Sept. 22.—A party of insurgents ditched a railroad train a mile and a half south of Angeles Friday morning and then opened fire upon the derailed cars from a bamboo thicket close to the track, killing two Americans and wounding five others.

Lieut. Lome and five of his scouts, who were on the train, made a vigorous defense and caused the enemy to flee. Six dead rebels were afterward found in the thicket from which the rebel fire came.

Gen. Wheaton, with six companies, proceeded from Calicut to the relief of the train, but his services were unneeded.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Gen. Davis, of Porto Rico, Prescribes the Manner in Which They Shall Be Held on the Island.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The war department has received copies of the general orders issued by Gen. Gen. Davis, of Porto Rico, prescribing the manner in which municipal elections shall be held. The Australian ballot will be used, and the qualifications of a voter are that he must be a bona fide resident of the municipality, 21 years old, a taxpayer or else able to read or write, and a resident of the island for two years.

The orders, referred to in particular to the election of Adjutants, but the regulations probably will be of general application. The first election at Adjutants was declared void by the governor because of the following reasons as specified in the order:

"It appears that during the noon hour on the day of election, the various boards of supervisors adjourned for breakfast, and that the election for certain period of time, removed to the ballot boxes from public view and carrying them to private houses and hotels where the supervisors were taking breakfast."

Gen. Davis says that while satisfied that no corrupt practices were attempted, yet in order to remove the least vestige of suspicion a new election will be held.

BIG FIRE IN CHICAGO.

Parliament and Stable in the Stock Yards District Destroyed—Transit House Damaged—Loss \$275,000.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Fire, Thursday afternoon, destroyed the parliament and stable in the stock yards district. There were 1,400 horses in the stables at the time the fire broke out, but none of them were injured.

The parliament, where the fire originated, was a large stable, with an amphitheater, where exhibitions of thoroughbreds and sales of fancy stock were held. It was valued at \$150,000. Other losses are as follows: The Dexter park stables and contents, \$28,000; barns occupied by Newgas & Son and Elder & Co., horse dealers, \$18,000.

AMERICAN TURF CONGRESS.

At the Session in Chicago Officers Were Elected—The New Meeting of the Congress Will Be Held in Louisville.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The American turf congress Thursday elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, W. F. Schukle, Louisville, Ky.
Vice president, James Howard, Chicago, Ill.
Treasurer, O. L. Bradley, Lexington, Ky.
Secretary, E. C. Hooper, Covington, Ky.

A permanent office of the congress will be opened in Louisville, and the next meeting of the congress will be held in that city.

Other matters of importance changes in the racing rules were made.

British Battleship Sunk.

BORTHMOUTH, Eng., Sept. 22.—The British battleship London was launched safely here Thursday in the presence of large crowds of people. Her displacement is 10,000 tons. The main feature of her construction is the armor belt which is carried the entire length of the ship as advocated by Capt. Hobley D. Evans, U. S. N., in articles published in the "Navy" magazine as the basis of the cost of the vessel is estimated at about \$1,000,000.

President May Visits North Dakota.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Senator McComber and Representative Spaulding, of North Dakota, called at the white house Thursday and invited the president to extend his western trip to North Dakota at the time the returning volunteers reach the state about the 3d or 5th of October. The president took the matter under consideration with the understanding that he would accept the invitation if he found it possible to do so.

Charleston, S. C., was selected by the vote of 19 states as the place of holding the next annual convention of the League of American Municipalities.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The navy department has received notice of the death in San Francisco of Ensign Noah T. Coleman.

The amount of cash received Thursday by Treasurer Roberts, of the Dewey home fund, is \$704, making a total to date of \$77,065. The number of subscribers is 26,624.

Surgeon General Wyman received a dispatch Thursday announcing that there were 45 new cases of yellow fever at Key West Wednesday night and no deaths.

Assistant Secretary Melickjohn, of the war department, has returned from the front and was acting secretary Thursday in the absence of Secretary Root.

The post office department Thursday issued an order debarring from the mails the matter issued by the Ex-Slave Mutual Relief Society and Pension association, with headquarters at Nashville, Tenn.

The North Atlantic squadron is to be reinforced by the cruiser New York, which is now on her way to Santo Domingo. Her place in the West Indies will be taken by the Nashville.

The total enlistments for the 13 volunteer regiments called out, to date, is 8,352 men, of whom 440 were secured Wednesday. The enrollment for the colored regiment is 222 men for the 45th and 103 men for the 49th inf.

Judge Leehren, in the United States district court at Minneapolis, Minn., Thursday, practically held the state law prohibiting the sale of oleomargarine oil to be unconstitutional. The case against the Hammond Packing Company had come up from the city court.

At a joint state conference of committees of the American Flint Glass Manufacturers' Association and glass blower workers at Pittsburgh Thursday, the workers were granted a five per cent. advance in wages. The settlement was a compromise, the workers demanding an increase of ten per cent.

Adj. Gen. Corbin says that the war department will be able to trace out all the official mail that was sent to the Philippines on the Morgan City, but there may be some difficulty in finding out what was sent in the way of private letters to soldiers in the Philippines.

At a meeting of over 100 prominent representatives of the Cleveland Congressional district held in Sinton, Ill., Thursday, Congressman Walter Leeves declared himself a candidate for reelection. The sentiment of the meeting was unanimous that Leeves be supported for the nomination.

Adm. Howison reported to the navy department by cable his departure with the flagship Chicago from Barbadoes to New York. It is just possible for the ship to cover the distance between Barbadoes and New York at a somewhat accelerated cruising speed by the 29th inst.

The charter of the Pennsylvania navy yard at the Junior (and Senior) United American Mechanics was revoked Thursday because of the persistent refusal of the state council to adopt the recommendation of the finance committee to pay the per capita tax claim of \$11,500 made by the national council.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

The Winners Thursday Were: Cincinnati, Baltimore two, and Louisville two—Other cities were tied.

CINCINNATI: Pittsburgh, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Louisville, 1-0.

BALTIMORE: Baltimore, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0; Louisville, 1-0.

LOUISVILLE: Louisville, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

PHILADELPHIA: Philadelphia, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Louisville, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

PITTSBURGH: Pittsburgh, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Louisville, 1-0.

CLEVELAND: Cleveland, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

ST. LOUIS: St. Louis, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

CHICAGO: Chicago, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

DETROIT: Detroit, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

INDIANAPOLIS: Indianapolis, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

COLUMBIA: Columbia, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

MEMPHIS: Memphis, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.

SPRINGFIELD: Springfield, 1-0; Cincinnati, 1-0; Baltimore, 1-0; Philadelphia, 1-0; Pittsburgh, 1-0.



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